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Mrs. Effa Manley
55 Somerset Street
Newark, New Jersey

Dear Mrs. Manley:

It seems as though the Eagle Star Insurance Company is now willing to discuss a settlement in our case against them. I would like to be able to talk the matter over with you and Mr. Manley or both of you, so that we can set a figure on which we can negotiate. We can also talk over the relative merits of considering a settlement.

I am waiting to get the league schedule from you for all of the teams in addition to the information about Mackey, what he did this summer and perhaps, some biographical matter.

I am enclosing a copy of the clipping which appeared in the Newark Evening News. We have plenty of room for a lot of good publicity - and I think that this clipping is the kind that gives the league substantial standing.

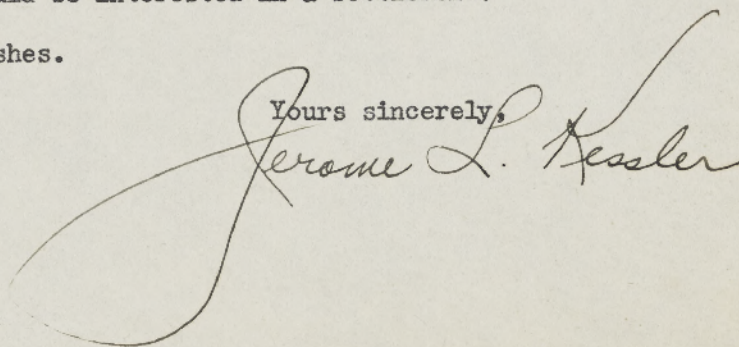
The question of the Knot Hole Gang will arise again this year - and very soon, too. Will you please let me know what to tell the committee, should they ask? I am a member of that committee, you know.

I hope that my recent letter with reference to the Workmen's Compensation question was clear.

I shall hope to hear from you within a few days as I would like to keep the negotiations with the attorney for the insurance company alive, if we should be interested in a settlement.

Best wishes.

Yours sincerely,

A large, stylized handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "Jerome L. Kessler". The signature is written over the typed name and extends across the bottom right of the page.